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Docket No.: 10010613-1**

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In re the Application of:

Thomas C. Harrop

Serial No. 09/734,273

Group Art Unit: 2154

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ADAPTIVE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT

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This is in response to the final Office Action mailed November 15, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on February 15, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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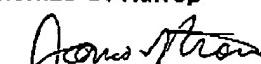
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